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This Town---That World

BAD FOR THE YOUNG

This cigarette habit is, forsooth, one very, very bad habit. You don't have to take our word for it, either. Just look at what happened to Bertin Young last Saturday afternoon.

This young man had fired himself a shotgun to wound three children and then had betaken himself to the hills. In the hills of Steele's Creek and Left Beaver he might have eluded peace officers. But while on the mountainside overlooking Minnie he was assailed by an overpowering yen for a smoke.

"I just wanted a cigarette so bad, I got so I didn't care what happened, just so I got one," officers quoted him as saying later.

He got a cigarette. He also got himself in for a stay in the "can."

A REAL CHAMPION

Young Jimmy Music, East Point's marble genius, was in Prestonsburg on a recent afternoon--and what do you think he was doing? No, he wasn't telling how he licked the nation's best marble shots to win the mib championship of America; wasn't recounting his wonderful experiences in New York or telling of all the nice things this or that person or newspaper had said about him. No, sirc--he was avidly looking over the display of "funny books" in Hutinspiller's Drug Store, even as your boy and mine do.

A fine broth of a lad like that, with the good sense to keep a quiet tongue and show the gentlemanliness that so many grown-up "blow-hards" lack, just simply makes a liar out of all us who prate about our youngsters being wild, young fools.

WHY GET EXCITED?

Brad Boyd and I have almost reached an agreement that this coming presidential campaign will be all right for both of us. If his side wins, a Democrat who strayed from the fold will be president; and if mine wins, a former Republican will be Vice-President.

While the politicians argue about what Washington said about foreign entanglements and about Jefferson and his third-term antipathy, why don't some of the spiritualist brethren establish direct communication with the gentlemen and ask them what they think about the party line entanglement?

SEND IN YOUR NAMES

If "Willie Gethell" of Fed, and "A Reader" from Betsy Layne will give THE TIMES their real names, their interesting letters will be printed. We do not want to publish their names; still, we want them--just in case.

All other contributors or prospective contributors should take due notice.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

After being in a mild lather during the past few weeks over the potential consequences of his latest brush with the law, Beverly Osborne, of Fed, promoting knight of the razor and shears who has a habit of getting into hot water with the authorities because he practices his "art" without benefit of license, the seventh time has won by a whisker.

Recently indicted for barbering without bothering the state about a license, Bev and his tools blew into town Monday to stand trial in county court. And at the same time he wasn't overlooking the possibility of pocketing a little extra change, should he corner a few customers allergic to the stationary barber shop.

Backed by a battery of 14 Prestonsburg attorneys, none of whom has been convinced to the point of acquiring the type of hair cut in question, Bev didn't seem any more concerned about the outcome of his case than he was about the other six, although some of them came under the classification of close shaves. His latest was dismissed because of the disappearance of the warrant and the non-appearance of a representative of the Attorney General, who was expected to give the rovin' barber a legal massage.

And so Bev, he told us Monday while he pointed proudly to his self-administered neck-shave amid bursts of laughter as sharp as his straight-edge razor, again is open for business at his same old stand and the same hours--any place, any time.

FUGITIVE FOR FIFTEEN YEARS TAKEN IN FLOYD SLAYING

GREEN BRADLEY ARRESTED IN INDIANA FOR FATAL STABBING OF CONLEY AT DINWOOD IN 1925

Fifteen years after he and two of his brothers were charged with the murder of Leck Conley at Dinwood, this county, Green Bradley, 41, was captured by county officers and state police near Logansport, Indiana.

The arrest was made on information supplied by Jess Conley, brother of the victim. Lewis Bradley, brother of Green and a joint-defendant in the murder charge, fled the arrest scene and was being sought by Indiana authorities. Conley died of knife wounds said to have been inflicted when assailed by Green and Lewis Bradley and their brother, Irvin.

Irvin Bradley, officials here said, was convicted in the slaying but was awarded a new trial after having received a 2-year pen term and was finally acquitted.

Search of the Circuit Court Clerk's files this week failed to reveal whereabouts of the old indictment against the Bradleys and it is held probable that the true bill was lost in the confusion accompanying the courthouse fire here a few years ago. A bench warrant was issued from the Floyd Circuit Court on the statement of County Attorney Forrest D. Short for Bradley's return here.

Court House Happenings

SUITS FILED

Ira Ward vs. Gaynelle Ward; Bond and Bond, attys. Alice Eden vs. Ira Eden; W. W. Burchett, atty. Mary L. Simpson, etc., vs. S. R. Auxier, etc.; Combs and Combs, attys. John M. Theobald, adm., etc., vs. S. R. Auxier, etc.; Combs and Combs, attys. John Y. Robinson vs. Jerry Hall; Joe P. Tackett, atty. Sallie Meade, adm., etc., vs. W. L. Stumbo, etc.; O. P. Bond, atty. Bess L. Gillum vs. Garfield Gillum; O. P. Bond, atty. Charlie Branham vs. Flora Branham; Joe P. Tackett, atty.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Henry Wallen and Bessie Hall, Henry Penley, 35, Paintsville, and Latmer Marie Castle, 30, Paintsville; marriage solemnized by the Rev. I. A. Smiley, Baptist Church, Prestonsburg, July 20. Hershel Keith and Geneva Colvin. Andy Case and Burchie Spurlock.

ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

Lou Butler Harris, admx., estate of Jeff Harris.

FROM PIKEVILLE

Carl Wright, Pikeville, visited friends here this week.

Mrs Mary L. Martin, 73, Allen, Succumbs Friday

Mrs. Mary Minnie Leslie Martin, member of one of Floyd county's oldest and most prominent families, died at her home near Allen Friday at the age of 73 following an illness of a few weeks of heart disease and complications.

A member of the Methodist Church for 60 years, Mrs. Martin was one of the county's best women and had a host of relatives and friends in this section. She was the daughter of the late A. N. and Mrs. Martha Mayo Leslie, of Emma, and was born Sept. 9, 1866. She was united in marriage on February 19, 1890 to W. L. Martin, of Allen.

Surviving her are a daughter, Mrs. Fannie Martin May, and one son, Wesley N. Martin, Allen; two brothers, L. C. Leslie, Emma, and Judge W. P. Leslie, Eastland, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Vick L. Burchett and Mrs. Lula Bevin, both of Emma, and Mrs. Kate L. Harris, West Prestonsburg.

Funeral rites were conducted Saturday afternoon from the century-old Martin home, the Rev. Isaac Stratton, Banner, officiating. Burial was made in the nearby family cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

4 ARRAIGNED IN LIGON FRAY

DILLO, NEWSOMES HELD FOR ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Examining trials for four men accused of murder in the Ligon mine-workers' gun battle last Wednesday were conducted Monday and three of the quartette were held to action of the September grand jury session here. Caleb and Alvis Newsome, both of whom were wounded as a hall of bullets swept the schoolroom in which the mine local meeting was being held, executed \$5,000 bond each in the slaying of Tolby Newsome, brother of Alvis.

Bond in the sum of \$10,000 was asked for the release from the county jail of William Dillo, first of the four to be accused and arrested. He remains in jail, charged with killing

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YOUTH SHOOTS BOY, 2 GIRLS AT WAYLAND

YOUTHFUL GUNMAN CLAIMS SHOOTING UNINTENTIONAL

Bertin Young, 17-year-old Wayland youth, is in the county jail here, held, temporarily, at least, without bond after shooting and wounding two girls and a boy on Steele's Creek Saturday afternoon.

Two of the three youngsters, Hattie Knox, 11, and Howard Stidham, 13, are in the Stumbo Memorial hospital and are believed to be recovering from serious wounds. The third, 15-year-old Hattie Knox, was returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Knox, after receiving treatment at the hospital.

Young waived preliminary hearing before Magistrate W. A. Willis here Monday and was remanded to jail without bond.

After firing a shotgun blast into the bodies of the children as they stood in the doorway of a Steele's Creek home, Young fled across the mountain to Left Beaver Creek. There he was taken into custody by Wayne Stumbo and others, shortly before the arrival of Deputy Sheriffs Dewey Hicks and W. B. Boyd who brought him to jail here.

The officers quoted Young as telling two stories of the shooting. They said he first claimed that he thought he was pointing the muzzle of the gun over the rooftop when he pulled the trigger. Later, it was stated, he said he didn't know the gun was loaded.

Wounds of the three ranged from their necks to their abdomens.

Marson Collins, who swore out the warrant issued by Magistrate Willis for Young, stated that he saw Young fire the shotgun into the group of youngsters "without any right or excuse to do so."

The Stidham child is a son of Mrs. Rosa Stidham, a widow. Officers said that Young showed no visible effects of intoxication.

CONLEY YOUTH, WRECK VICTIM

GARRETT HI STUDENT DIES AFTER CRASH NEAR EMMA

Suffering a contusion of the brain and a fractured skull at six o'clock Friday evening when he was thrown from the car he was driving after it left the Mayo Trail near Emma, hit the ditch and rolled over several times, Hamlet Everett Conley, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Crit Conley, Garrett, died at the Martin General hospital about 12 hours later.

The accident occurred as young Conley, accompanied by his brother, who received only minor injuries, was driving toward Prestonsburg. The car skidded more than a hundred feet on the concrete after it had rolled back onto the highway. The victim, who was the youngest of Mr. and Mrs. Conley's four sons, was a student at Garrett high school.

Surviving besides the parents are three brothers, Bert, Morrow and Valton Ray Conley, and five sisters, Mrs. Anis Clarke and Misses Orida Reeka, Janet and Beva Conley, all of Garrett.

Funeral services were conducted from the Conley home Monday afternoon, with the Revs. Ed Howard and Banner Manns officiating. Burial was made in the Williams-Conley cemetery, under the direction of the Ryan Funeral Home. Active pallbearers were Irvin, Hayden, Ollie, Willis, Coet, Watt, Claude and Milt Conley.

JUDGE, SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID

County Judge E. P. Hill is a patient in the Paintsville hospital, suffering from typhoid. His condition Wednesday was only fair, it was said.

Attorney Joe Hobson Monday was named County Judge pro-tem, to serve during Judge Hill's illness.

IN MARTIN HOSPITAL

Mrs. B. L. Sturgill was taken Sunday night to the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin. Mrs. Sturgill is quite ill and an operation may be necessary, it is feared.

212 NAMED AT POLLS

19,576 REGISTERED AND MAY VOTE, AUGUST 3

Officers to officiate at the polls in Floyd county, Saturday, August 3, were announced this week as selected by Election Commissioners H. T. Hill, Luther Shivel and Sheriff Dial Salisbury.

As a result of their action, 212 men and women will be poll officials in the 53 precincts of the county, which has 19,576 registered voters--14,396 Democrats and 5,180 Republicans.

The list of officers follows, the Clerk, two Judges and Sheriff named for each precinct, appearing in order in each instance:

Prestonsburg No. 1
L. S. Shivel, Joe W. Burchett, Varney Smiley, A. J. Archer.

Prestonsburg No. 2
James Morell, Jr., Ishmael Triplett, Alex H. Sprallin, Arthur Blackburn.

Depot No. 3
Emery Hughes, B. M. Spurlock, Bob Spurlock Mitchell Preston.

Auxier No. 4
Gordie Porter, Alex Patton, Ollie Baldrige, Sam Wells.

Middle Creek No. 5
Millard Hamilton, Sam Hale, Frank Johnson, Monroe Ousley, Sr.

Spurlock No. 6
Monroe Ousley, Fred Tussey, Oscar Miller, Layne Compton.

Porter No. 7
J. L. Laferty, Melvin Wells, E. B. Delong, Bill Goble (Vinegar).

Johns Creek No. 8
Norman Crider, Bill Burchett (Big Bill), Joe Goble, Warnie Cline.

Cow Creek No. 9
Harry Weddington, Bill Sherman, Chester Merritt, Jeff Burchett.

Mouth of Beaver No. 10
Herman Porter, Bill Allen, Joe Woods, Garrett Slone.

Jim Banks No. 11
Dick Willis, P. D. Laferty, Martin Hamilton, Joe Meadows.

John Possum No. 12
H. H. Vincent, Colonel Peters, C. A. Flanery, Taylor Begley.

Halbert No. 13
Lackey Salsbury, Fed Allen, George Estep, Bob Salsbury.

Mouth of Mud No. 14
J. L. Honaker, Willie Robinette, Basil Hamilton, Charlie Martin.

Little Mud No. 15
Kenis Clark, Joe Yates, Azzie Hall, Ben Stewart.

Ticket No. 16
Lee Roberts, Ernest Newman, Troy Branham, Melvin Frazier.

Betsy Layne No. 17
Delmon Howard, Palmer Crum, Ben Maynard, James A. George.

Antioch No. 18
G. P. Tackett, Hen Hall, W. M. Hamilton, Monroe Newsom.

Elder Hiram No. 19
Fred Blackburn, C. C. Sutherland, Leonard Hall, Ira Cantrill.

Painter Harve No. 20
L. J. Jessie, John Woody, Bryan Johnson, Denver Shannon.

Clear Creek No. 21
Wade Slone, Bill Hayes, H. F. Meade, J. B. Elswick.

John Ant No. 22
Henry Stumbo, J. M. Bentley, Doug

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Community Leaders Asked To Help Road Move

Letters urging prominent Floyd countians to form committees to work in the "Let's-Get-the-Left-Beaver-Road-Paved" movement have been written by J. D. Harkins, Jr., president of the Prestonsburg Co-Operative Business Association.

The letters were addressed to W. A. Malone, Allen; Lawrence Keathley, Martin; B. F. Reed, Drift; J. W. Cockill, Minnie; Dr. Arnett and E. R. Price, Wheelwright; H. S. McKalip, Weeksbury; George Pow, Wayland.

Each of these men was asked to serve on a committee of three in his community and to enlist the help of two other committeemen. With the formation of community committees, these and the committee already named from Prestonsburg will gather to formulate definite plans for a mass meeting in the county, and, later, a grand motorcade to Frankfort to present the Left Beaver section's cause.

JEFF HARRIS IS VICTIM

PROMINENT CITIZEN DIES SUNDAY OF CANCER

J. D. (Jeff) Harris, one of Prestonsburg's best-known men, died at his home on Graham street here Sunday morning at 8:35 o'clock after an illness of four years of cancer. He was 66 years old.

Mr. Harris was well-known throughout this section, having been for years, until ill health forced his retirement, a building contractor and carpenter. He was a devout member of the Methodist Church and also was a member of Prestonsburg lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

A son of the late Jefferson Davis Harris, for whom he was named, and of Mrs. Sarah Goble Harris, he was born and reared at Brandy Keg, near

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ISBELL WARNS HOG-BUYERS

'IMPORTED' SWINE BEAR DISEASE, AGENT SAYS

Reporting sporadic outbreaks of hog cholera in the county, with the result that from 50 to 75 hogs have died within the last month, County Agent S. L. Isbell this week warned farmers against buying such livestock from stockyards in nearby counties or from stock dealers bringing hogs into this county until the present cholera threat is definitely past.

He pointed out that his investigations of cholera outbreaks at West Prestonsburg, Auxier, Betsy Layne and Hueysville have uncovered the fact that, in almost every case, diseased swine have been purchased from stock-

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TIMES WRITER HAS GOOD LUCK TO FIND FOUR-LEAF CLOVERS OF CAMP RHODODENDRON

(By BILL HENRY)
Fish Trap, Ky., July 23--The colors of the National 4-H Club are flying high this week--the green four-leaf clover with its white background and with the letter "H" on each leaflet proudly floats in the breeze over Camp Rhododendron here as healthy, well-trained, well-disciplined girls and boys play, work and study.

The annual 4-H club meeting of this district, representing eight counties, opened Monday and will continue through Thursday. Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Elliott, Boyd, Lawrence, Martin and Pike, each sent its share of these leaders of tomorrow, youngsters of 12 to 20, they came, literally tumbling out of trucks, private cars and school buses. They were preceded or accompanied by 27 4-H local club leaders, 13 County and Home Agents, six instructors, the camp manager and nine camp workers, including cooks and the store manager.

A short distance from Paintsville in the direction of Salyersville, a county road slopes up-hill-like from the

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ABBOTT CREEK GREET'S PLAN OFFERED

SYSTEM BEGINNING IN WOLFE COUNTY IS PLANNED

Southern terminus of a proposed Rural Electrification Administration project planned to bring electricity to several hundreds of Eastern Kentucky homes will be Abbott Creek, this county, if plans now being formed are consummated.

Northern end of the 150-mile line will begin in Wolfe county, according to present plans, and from there pass through Morgan, up the Burning Fork of the Licking River and down Abbott Creek.

After attending a community meeting at Bonanza Friday evening, County Attorney Forrest D. Short and County Agent S. L. Isbell reported what they termed "100 per cent favorable reaction" to the plan. Twenty-five residents of the Abbott Creek section attended the meeting and heard W. B. Nivison, REA state promotional agent for Kentucky, explain the proposed service.

Fred Wright, J. B. Bayes, R. L. Conley, Milt Stanley, J. A. Baldrige and Tom Hill were named to a committee to procure memberships from householders of the section in the REA co-operative.

REA, POWER FIRM REACH AGREEMENT

Frankfort, Ky., July 23--A controversy between the Rural Electrification Administration and the Kentucky West Virginia Power Company over 9.4 miles of line westward from West Liberty was settled by compromise Tuesday afternoon at the conclusion of a three-hour hearing before the Public Service Commission.

The utility agreed to waive its permit to build the line, and REA agreed to buy current wholesale from the utility to service the proposed Licking Valley Rural Electrification Co-Operative in Magoffin, Morgan, Wolfe, Floyd and Johnson counties.

The plan outlined by Mr. Nivison provides for the REA to serve not less than 600 homes over the route. If organized, the undertaking will be known

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DEATH CLAIMS MRS. SMITH

PROMINENT LOCAL WOMAN DIES MONDAY

Mrs. Aletha Larkins Smith, 85, wife of James Caddo Smith, died at her home early Monday morning, the victim of infirmities attendant upon advanced age.

One of Prestonsburg's best-known women, Mrs. Smith had been in declining health for some time, and only last week she suffered a broken leg in a fall at her home. She was born at Scioto Furnace, Ohio, May 25, 1855, and early in life became a member of the Methodist Church. In 1881 she was married to Mr. Smith, who survives, and thirty years ago they came

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Congressman Holds Dam Prospects Brighter

Before leaving for Washington Congressman A. J. May indicated that prospects of early work on the Johns Creek dam are now brighter than a few weeks ago. Return of engineers to the site of the proposed dam is expected this month, and purchase of flowage rights may be undertaken soon.

At the same time, proponents of a system of locks and dams for the Big Sandy were encouraged by a report emanating from the district office, U. S. Army engineers, Huntington, stating that a comprehensive survey of the river is being made.

A party of engineers now is located here while river survey work is under way.

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PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wells and children are vacationing in Arkansas with relatives.

Mrs. Ed Sutton returned from Cincinnati, Thursday, having spent four days with her daughter, Miss Ruby Sutton, and her brother, John Allen. She was accompanied by Miss Virginia Lee Newsome, friend of Miss Sutton.

Miss Violet Hagans is a patient in the Martin General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher May and baby daughter, of Bull Creek, were here Thursday and Friday.

Miss Rosemary Sexton, of Gauley Bridge, W. Va., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. V. A. Hayes, and Mr. Hayes. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes and Miss Sexton leave in August for a vacation in Indianapolis and Louisville.

Mrs. Curtis Sexton and children, of Estill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Hayes Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. R. May was hostess to a luncheon for the following on Friday: Mrs. V. A. Hayes, Maytown; Mesdames J. D. Mayo, W. P. Mayo and S. A. Combs, of Prestonsburg.

Herbert Dyer is visiting relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Dyer now resides in Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Romine Dyer and daughter, of Allegan, Mich., and Mrs. Kenneth Short, of Zionville, Ind., arrived Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Oak Cooley on Brush Creek Saturday. Mrs. Dyer and Mrs. Short are sisters of Mrs. Cooley.

A large crowd of relatives and friends of Mrs. Oak Cooley attended her funeral from the family residence Saturday at 10 a. m. Mrs. Cooley was well-known and loved in Maytown. Her passing brought great sorrow to all who knew her.

Melvin Frasure is building a home on the property recently bought from C. C. Refitt.

Martin Halbert and Roy Hicks left for the army this week.

Dr. J. H. Allen and son, G. E. Allen, left Friday for Cincinnati to attend the ball games.

Mrs. E. R. May and children will spend Wednesday night with Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Vernon in Pikeville, leaving Thursday for a two-weeks' visit with friends in Birmingham, Ala., and relatives in Meridian and Tyler-town, Miss.

Thomas Patrick returned from the University of Kentucky Saturday after having taken a special short course in vocational training, the past few weeks. He and Mrs. Patrick and children leave soon for a brief vacation in Georgia.

Miss Katherine McKinney, Charleston, W. Va., is the houseguest of Miss Harriet Allen.

Many friends of Mrs. G. A. May, Jr., welcome her return from the Marting hospital, Ironton, this week-end.

Miss Opal May arrived home Saturday from Lexington, where she had

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MARTIN

attended the summer term.

G. D. Ryan, of Martin, was a visitor here Saturday afternoon.

Ben Baker spent the past week in Liberty visiting friends.

G. E. Allen will attend summer school at University of Kentucky in Lexington, for the next two and a half weeks, enrolling Monday. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Allen, Mrs. J. H. Allen, Misses Harriet and Peggy Allen and Catherine McKinney, the latter returning to Charleston, W. Va., on Tuesday.

Miss Mamie Snoddy, of Ashland, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. A. May, Jr., and Mr. May.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Newsome and children leave soon for a brief vacation with Mrs. Newsome's mother and brother, Mrs. Estelle Leavitt and Bill Leavitt, in Charleston, W. Va.

Mrs. B. W. Baker entertained to dinner Saturday evening in honor of Miss Catherine McKinney. The following were guests: Mrs. G. E. Allen and daughter, Peggy Sue, Misses Harriet Allen, Grady Flannery, Peggy Jo Allen, Dr. C. L. Allen, and Miss McKinney.

Mesdames V. A. Hayes and H. L. May will be hostesses to the Senior Epworth League on Friday evening when the young people have their social. The League will not meet for two weeks, during the absence of the director, Mrs. E. R. May.

Misses Harriet and Peggy Jo Allen, Catherine McKinney, Mesdames J. H. Allen and G. E. Allen motored to Pippapas and Hindman to visit the settlement schools Tuesday.

Misses Juanita May and her guest, Mary Jean Fossom, spent Saturday night with Oma Jean Turner, of Northern.

Mrs. H. L. May entertained the following to luncheon Wednesday in honor of her niece, little Miss Mary Jean Fossom of Ashland: Elizabeth Boughton, Joyce Stewart, Katherine Stapleton, Janet Webb, Rose Mary Sexton and Juanita May. Mrs. Thomas Patrick and daughter, Sandra Sue, were also members of the luncheon party.

ENJOYS GUEST SPEAKERS

Members of the Maytown Woman's Club greatly enjoyed hearing guest speakers on Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John Coburn, when Mrs. Dean Amburgey served as assistant hostess. Mrs. J. D. Mayo, of Prestonsburg, spoke on the Arrangement of Flowers, illustrating her talk with an artistic composition in two colors. She was followed by Mrs. W. P. Mayo, who discussed Wild Flowers and displayed some of her well-known paintings. Mrs. S. A. Combs, at the request of the club president, told of the works of one of Kentucky's famous writers, James Still, former librarian in Hindman Settlement School, whom she recently met and whose book, "River of Earth," is now achieving success.

The August meeting of the Woman's Club is scheduled to be held with Mrs. C. C. Newsome, Mrs. Frank May, chairman of Spiritual Re-arrangement, in charge of the program, it was announced by the program chairman.

After the program Friday the hostesses served dainty refreshments. Mrs. H. D. McQuinn, of Kenova, W. Va., was among those present.

Floyd Future Farmers Attend State Camp At Hardinsburg

Thirty members of the Betsy Layne, Martin, McDowell and Maytown high school chapters of Future Farmers of America, accompanied by their advisors, Pearl Begley, McDowell; Roy Denny, Martin and Maytown, and G. L. Guffey, Betsy Layne, spent last week at the state F. F. A. camp at Hardinsburg.

The camp, which was abandoned some time ago by the C. C. C., is used by state F. F. A. members from early June until late August, with about 15 chapters attending each week. Activities include games swimming, parliamentary procedure and discussions, in addition to many others.

The group traveled by school bus, which was furnished by the Floyd county Board of Education and driven by Jack Allen.

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Mrs. Everett Hanshaw, of Ashland, is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sweet.

Mrs. Adam Damron, of Yeager, Mrs. Mack McKester and Jack Williams, of Pikeville, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Marrs, Friday.

Mrs. Sam Sweet was a business visitor in Ashland last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunaway and family are visiting relatives in Olive Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Hardwick and Miss Shirley Compton visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Bailey, of Betsy Layne, last Thursday.

Misses Bethel Frasure and Ruth Osborne spent the week-end in Wheelwright.

Tip Ratliff is a patient in the C. & O. hospital in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Borders, Mr. and Mrs. H. Holt and Mrs. V. M. Rice motored to Natural Bridge and Pine Ridge National Park recently.

Miss Louise Frasure is visiting relatives in Portsmouth, O.

David Humphreys, of Portsmouth, O., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dingus and family.

Mrs. Ray Allen and sister, Miss Peggy Rogers, of Frankfort, are visiting Miss Edith Allen and Mrs. C. R. Marshall.

Miss Ora Mae Allen and Miss Mildred McGothen were shopping in Huntington last Wednesday.

Mrs. Wheeler Crisp, Mrs. Ralph Dingus and Miss Nola Flanery gave a birthday party for Miss Alma Osborne at Nola's Restaurant last Monday night. The honoree was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Misses Dora Stephens and Mildred Tackett, of Prestonsburg, were guests of Mrs. Ralph Dingus last Monday.

Miss Joan Derosssett, of Prestonsburg, has returned home after spending two weeks as the guest of Miss Ruth Flanery.

Miss Ida Martin, of Wheelwright, spent last week-end with Miss Ruth Flanery.

Miss Bess Damron has returned to her studies at Georgetown College.

HILL IS HONORED AT TRAINING CAMP

First on the list of citations announced by the commanding officer at the Citizens' Military Training Camp, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, was Chester Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hill. He received a certificate of the first order of merit for "outstanding ability as an instructor."

The current training period is Mr. Hill's fourth year with the C.M.T.C. He also has had one year in the R.O.T.C., Eastern State Normal, Richmond.

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DRIFT DROPS COAL RUN

IN 10-INNING GAME, 7-6, AT DRIFT SUNDAY

The nine-game winning streak of the Coal Run team of the Beaver Valley "B" League was broken Sunday afternoon, when Drift nosed out the league leaders, 7-6, in a ten-inning struggle on the Drift diamond. The losers still lead their section of the league by two games.

While Drift was being held scoreless during the first seven innings Coal Run scored one in the second, fourth and sixth and three more in the seventh, to build up a 6-0 lead. In the last of the seventh after two men were out Drift staged a six-run rally climaxed by McGlothlin's homer. Both teams were held scoreless in the ninth, and Coal Run failed to tally in the first of the tenth. In the last of the tenth, with one out, Shelton hit his third double of the game and easily scored the winning run on McSurley's extra-base knock.

McDowell, who started on the hill for Drift, was relieved in the eighth by McSurley, who gave up one hit in the last three innings and received credit for the win. Hamilton was the loser.

Box score:

COAL RUN	AB	R	H	E
B. Hamilton, ss	5	1	2	0
H. Hamilton, c	5	1	1	1
M. Pelfrey, 2b	5	1	3	1
A. Pelfrey, cf	2	1	1	0
J. Ratliff, cf	3	0	1	0
Cecil, 3b	4	1	2	1
J. Ratliff, lf	4	0	1	0
D. Hamilton, rf	1	0	0	0
Spears, rf	1	0	0	0
Smith, p	2	0	0	0
Hal Hamilton, p	2	1	0	0
Totals	38	6	11	4

DRIFT	AB	R	H	E
Blackburn, cf	5	1	1	0
Smith, c	4	1	1	2
Myers, rf	5	1	1	0
Shelton, 3b-c	5	2	3	0
McSurley, lf-p	5	1	2	0
McGlothlin, lb	4	1	2	0
Wastle, 2b	1	0	0	1
Ward, 2b	2	0	0	0
Jones, ss	4	0	1	1
McDowell, plf	4	0	0	0
Totals	39	7	11	4

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DINWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders, of Ligon, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ratliff.

Lee Frasure, son of John Frasure, and Grant Wells, son of Grant Wells, left Saturday afternoon for service in the army.

Mrs. Delbert Mullins was injured Saturday morning in a fall. It is reported that she is slowly recovering.

The following motored to Caney Sunday: Misses Opal and Alice Isaacs, Joanna Smith and Virgil Isaacs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward and children motored to Northern Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Newsome and children, of Martin, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Goble.

Mrs. Dock Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunders motored to Caney Sunday for church services. They were accompanied by Mrs. Everett Chitwood.

Little Ada Hall was the week-end guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Compton, of Hite.

Little Miss Ruby Fay and Garna Joe Igo had their tonsils removed Friday evening.

Wade Stone, of Ligon, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Isaacs Thursday evening.

Mrs. Roscoe Hayes, of Warco, attended church at Drift, Sunday.

Palmer Dingus returned home Saturday evening after spending a week in Hardinsburg.

Mrs. Rebecca Allen and Daisy Allen, of Wilson Creek, visited Mrs. Tavis Allen Sunday.

The cow peas that were planted some time ago on the ball diamond are doing fine. It seems that they stick together better than the ball team did.

P. J. Fugitt returned home Monday after visiting his grandparents at Galup.

West P'burg Home Is Destroyed

Home of James Hale in West Prestonsburg was destroyed by fire last week. Contents of the residence, a three-room frame structure, were also burned.

The blaze is believed to have started from a flue from the kitchen stove. Mrs. Hale said the roof was ready to collapse when the fire was discovered.

In Hancock county, use of soybeans in river overflow land and level lands has doubled.

ALLEN SWAMPS PIKEVILLE

IN DOUBLEHEADER, 12-0 AND 17-2, SUNDAY

By defeating Pikeville in a doubleheader, 12-0 and 17-2, Sunday afternoon at Pikeville, the Allen baseball team went into a two-way tie with Van Lear for third place in the Big Sandy League standings.

In the first game Patton, pitching for Allen, allowed Pikeville seven hits, all singles, and had little trouble in blanking the tail-enders. In addition to this fine performance on the mound, he also shone at the plate, collecting four hits in five trips. Crum, Allen shortstop, led both teams in hitting, with a triple and four singles in six times at bat.

In the six-inning nightcap the Allen team continued its assault upon the offerings of England and Conley, who also shared the pitching duties for Pikeville in the first game. Allen's 13 hits, with the aid of five Pikeville errors, were converted into 17 runs. Sherman allowed five hits and struck out four Pikeville batters.

Center fielder Ted Stumbo led the attack for the winners, with a pair of doubles and two singles in four trips to the plate. Crum made a triple and a single, and Mosley, who hit a home run in the first game, made two singles. Wiggins, Pikeville catcher, made two of his team's five hits.

Box scores:

First Game	
ALLEN	AB R H E
Crum, ss	6 3 5 1
Prater, c	4 0 1 0
Hall, lb	6 1 2 1
T. Stumbo, cf	5 1 2 0
G. Stumbo, 2b	3 1 1 0
Mosley, 3b	5 2 2 1
Harris, rf	5 0 0 0
Blackburn, lf	5 2 2 0
Patton, p	5 2 4 0
Branham, c	2 0 1 0
Totals	46 12 20 3

Second Game	
ALLEN	AB R H E
Crum, ss	4 2 2 0
Prater, c	3 1 1 0
Hall, lb	3 3 1 0
T. Stumbo, cf	4 2 4 0
G. Stumbo, 2b	1 0 1 0
Mosley, 3b	3 2 2 0
Moore, rf-2b	2 2 0 0
Blackburn, lf	2 3 1 0
Sherman, p	4 1 0 0
Branham, c	0 1 0 0
Rice, rf	2 0 1 0
Totals	28 17 13 0

Third Game	
ALLEN	AB R H E
Blankenship, cf	3 1 1 0
Henderson, rf	2 0 0 0
Wiggins, c	3 0 2 0
Cyrus, lb	3 0 0 0
Caudill, ss	2 0 1 0
Amick, lf	3 0 0 0
Ward, 3b	2 1 1 1
Gilliam, 2b	2 0 0 2
Conley, p	2 0 0 1
England, p	0 0 0 1
Totals	22 2 5 5

Fourth Game	
ALLEN	AB R H E
Blankenship, cf	3 1 1 0
Henderson, rf	2 0 0 0
Wiggins, c	3 0 2 0
Cyrus, lb	3 0 0 0
Caudill, ss	2 0 1 0
Amick, lf	3 0 0 0
Ward, 3b	2 1 1 1
Gilliam, 2b	2 0 0 2
Conley, p	2 0 0 1
England, p	0 0 0 1
Totals	22 2 5 5

ENTERTAIN FOR HOUSEGUESTS

Pleasantly entertaining at a summer evening dinner party, Mr. and Mrs. Iley B. Browning were hosts last night in Bellefonte country club to about 50 guests, honoring the visitors in their home, who are:

Mrs. W. S. Harkins, of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Grover Howard, Miss Harriet Erpenbeck, Walter Davidson Howard, of Miami, Fla., and Monte Scott Harkins, Prestonsburg.

These visitors arrived in the Browning home Friday evening, and will remain through this week. The dinner last night was one in a series which Mrs. Browning is giving during the summer months.—Ashland Daily Independent.

Pulaski county farmers have purchased about 100 high-grade or pure-bred ewes since a sheep tour.

A "hat exhibit" has been planned by Anderson county farm women to show low-cost re-made hats.

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DWALE

Our school has been going on a week with 96 enrolled.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Damron and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall Sunday.

The Church of Christ's new building is almost completed, on the new church site.

According to the Reverend Watkins, the new Methodist Church building will be under construction soon.

The Rev. and Mrs. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Howard, Medley Garrett and family, and Misses Lady Mae Lavin and Anola Porter attended the M. E. quarterly meeting on Johns Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Burchett is very ill at her home here.

J. P. Lavin was in Prestonsburg Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hinkle, of Martin, were visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tipton and family, of Wheelwright, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hall Sunday.

Jack Lynch, Jr., of Russell, visited his sister, Mrs. Kermit Howard, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Thomas are the proud parents of a daughter. Both mother and babe are doing fine.

Raymond Cooley has begun teaching school at Tram.

George Walker Hall, Earl Gayheart and Leo Porter, of the CCC camps at Helliher and Nigh, were home last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meade and daughter, of Hazard, were in Bible school here Sunday.

A. J. Branham is confined to his home, almost totally blind.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Porter and son, Junior, spent the weekend with relatives in West Virginia.

Liss Crum has returned home after a visit with relatives in West Virginia.

H. C. Daniel, Weeksbury Mine Foreman, Dies of Heart Attack

Funeral services for H. Conrad (Con) Daniel, 55, Weeksbury mine foreman who succumbed to a heart attack at Weeksbury Saturday, July 13, were conducted from the Sugar Grove, Johnson county, church house Sunday, July 14, and burial was made in the Daniel cemetery there. Daniel died sometime after he left the mine, where he had been working on a night shift. Fellow workers said he was in good health and high spirits when he quit work about one o'clock Saturday morning and left for his boarding house, in the yard of which

the body was later found. On the body there were no indications of injury, although the front part of the throat was badly swollen. Physicians who examined the body attributed his death to a heart attack. A coroner's jury returned a verdict of death caused by natural causes.

The victim for many years was connected with the Consolidation Coal Company at Van Lear. He was born and reared in the Hood Fork section of Johnson county.

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1. Immediate completion of the Left Beaver, Middle Creek and Johns Creek road.
2. Consideration by officials of human needs, not the need for political influence.
3. Completion of all Farm-to-Market roads, by W. P. A. labor if possible, maintenance of these routes by the state rural road fund.
4. A trade-at-home policy followed by merchants and customers alike.
5. Full co-operation with all county and city officials, insisting that lawmakers and enforcement officers themselves obey the law to the letter.
6. Continuance of the Floyd county health department and the county agricultural agent work.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

Suave gentlemen in Congress have for some time now been losing their aplomb as they view with alarm the far-reaching effects of Hatch bills No. 1 and No. 2.

They point frantically in several directions to raise the alarm sound. They tell us it will infringe upon the rights of a free people, upon the rights of sovereign states, upon the rights of self-government, upon our right to vote as we please.

But, deep down, the alarm they feel is for what they like to call their own rights—rights to office given them by the vote of the people, and the rights they have taken unto themselves to form political machines by which their tenure in office may be extended indefinitely.

That fear may be well-founded, too. If enforced, this law will unmesh the cogs of those machines which grind out votes, and crush individual rights. Honestly enforced, this law will end coercion of governmental job-holders and every voter wholly or partially paid out of government funds which the common people supply.

Under this law, you and I may labor, if given the opportunity, for our hire and not for this or that person or party.

Opponents of the Hatch bill have cried out against the federal government sending men out into the states to tell us how we common folks should vote. Which is an insult to the intelligence of us all. How many common citizens anticipate any such visit? How many citizens expect this law to keep them from voting as they please?

They all know that, if this law is enforced, they indeed may vote at last as they please without fear of retaliation from those in office and to whom they must look for work or help.

They even may come to believe, with the enforcement of the Hatch Act, that a man or a woman may, some day, be hired in this or that governmental position purely on the basis of his or her ability to do a job well and not on the ability to account for a sizeable number of votes on election day.

But the day of arguing about the merits of this bill is past. It is now law. It is now left to us to sit back and watch how it is enforced—and trust that the states of this country will enact similar legislation.

Points By Other Editors

UNION FISCAL COURT ISN'T LEGALLY "SPEAKING"

If it is true that a fiscal court "speaks only through

BILL HENRY SAYS:

The views expressed in this column are those of the writer, and not necessarily those of The Times.

SINE DIE

Within the space of four weeks the echo of the gavel has sounded the indefinite adjournment of two of the most representative bodies of free America—the Republican and Democratic national conventions. When Senator Barkley, of Kentucky, on last Thursday night, signaled the adjournment, sine die, of the Democratic convention he officially brought to a conclusion what we have come to accept as a routine event in our national affairs, the selection of two men, one to be designated as our leader for the next four years.

We take for granted that, four years from now, we will go through the same motions, and again and again, in the same leisurely way we have been privileged in the past to carry on under our democratic form of government. Let us hope this will be so—and perhaps, the fact that we do wish it so much, we will not fail in our duty this coming November. Let us hope, a few years from now, history will not record Thursday, July 18, 1940 as the day on which for the last time free men and women acted of their own free-will at a convention dominated by the wishes of all the people.

If we are able to keep our heads above the waters of a murky whirlpool of destruction which such men as Senator Burke of Nebraska and his like would lead us into with their petty partisanship on the third term issue; if we are wise enough to come together

its records," and the Kentucky Statutes explain that this is the only legal method, then the Union fiscal court hasn't "spoken legally" on numerous occasions.

On July 2 the court held a meeting and awarded a county hospitalization contract. The following Tuesday, July 9, the court held another meeting.

Insofar as the official minute book of the court is concerned, neither of these meetings was ever held. Section 1842 Kentucky Statutes reads: "Before every adjournment the minutes of the proceedings of said court shall be publicly read by the clerk of the court, and corrected, if necessary; and the same shall be signed by the county judge or presiding judge, with the approval of the justices of the peace present when the court was held."

Section 1843 Kentucky Statutes further states: "No minute or order of the fiscal court shall be valid until the same be read and signed as aforesaid, nor unless the record shows by whom the court was held."

In the case of both meetings of the Union fiscal court referred to above, the clerk was not present. In both cases the official minute book was not so much as taken from its niche in the vault.

It is to be assumed, therefore, that whatever business the court transacted at these sessions is void, viewed strictly from a legal standpoint. A scrutiny of the minute book will also reveal that there were other meetings held at various times without benefit of properly signed records.

The Union fiscal court should begin to set its own house in order. Taxpayers grow weary of lax book-keeping methods and habitual infractions of the law.

The Advocate asked last week for an explanation why the hospital contract was awarded to the highest bidder. Thus far no member of the court has offered an explanation.

Fact of the matter is, how about the legality of the contract? This meeting of the court actually never took place, if the court speaks only through its records.

And the law says this is the only way it can speak legally.—Union County Advocate.

A FAMILIAR DECEPTION

Three months ago Adolf Hitler gave his unequivocal promise personally to King Christian of Denmark that the "protective occupation" of Denmark would be only temporary. Quite recently, Alfred Rosenberg, leading Nazi ideologist, announced that in the "new Europe" Denmark, Norway and Sweden would be included in a Germanic union to give all Scandinavia the permanent benefits of German protection.

This is a familiar pattern of lying and treachery. It has happened so many times that we ought by now to be able to interpret Hitler's promises by believing the exact opposite. This certainly is true of those promises in which he commits himself to refrain from aggression, conquest or exploitation.

Denmark had lived for many decades in the shadow of an aggressive, powerful neighbor. Her policies were scrupulously correct, her statesmen careful to humor Germany at every turn. But her economic life depended in considerable part on her trade with England. That economic life has been ruined by the forcible termination of the English trade. Her political independence has been shattered by swift, relentless Nazi conquest.

Now, even Denmark's future is destroyed by the Rosenberg dictum, which foreshadows the oppression of the Danes for an indefinite time to come. This, unless Britain succeeds in her task of liberating the captured free peoples of Europe.

What has happened to Denmark ought to be a warning to Americans. There is a considerable school of blind optimists in this country who believe, or say they believe, that Hitler spoke the truth in saying he had no designs whatever on the Western Hemisphere. That declaration was just as much a lie as the promise he gave to King Christian. We can well recognize it as a lie. To fall in this is to weaken our own defenses.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In a united front of Americanism; if we do not permit selfish, self-centered politicians to blind us, four years from now we will again hear the familiar sound of a great convention being called to order that a roll call of states may be heard for the purpose of nominating a candidate for President of the United States. If we fail to recognize the duty we owe ourselves, to declare anew our determination to retain the freedom God in His wisdom gave us, by keeping in office those men who have proven their ability, and their willingness, to lead us in the right direction, the doors to our free conventions will be left wide open to a swiftly moving, goose-stepping iron-roller-of-destruction. If we allow ourselves to be drawn into an issue of Republicanism versus Democratism so long as a sword, dripping with blood, hangs over our heads, we will accomplish with our own hands what Hitler, Mussolini and Stalin are doing with bullets.

The United States is not lacking in men who, in ordinary times, have the qualifications to make a good President and many would be capable of rising to any situation. We do not know until we have tried these men just what they will do, and we do not believe the American people, while the emergency lasts, are going to gamble their lives and liberty, and the future of their children, against a mere possibility.

THINK CAREFULLY. INTELLIGENTLY

"The condition of the refugees in France is appalling and growing worse, as cables from Miss Anne Morgan constantly state. They are in dire need of everything. This statement is an urgent appeal for funds so that we may buy at once the supplies that France so desperately needs."—Mrs. Henry James, chairman of the Finance Committee of the American Friends of France.

America will be bombarded incessantly with appeals for food to stave off starvation of the people in countries Hitler has brought under his control. We will want to answer these appeals—we have never failed in the past, our hearts will ache for the little children, the babies and their mothers, but before giving money for food which will help prolong the war we should consider what the chances are of it reaching those for whom it is intended.

All nations on the European continent are dominated and under the actual control of three powers, Germany, Russia and Italy. Nazism, Fascism and Communism have joined together, bent on the total destruction of the whole world in an effort to enslave its peoples. America is being threatened, and at this very moment our armament and ship-building plants are working on a 24-hour schedule. We are using every available facility for the speedy construction of aeroplanes, all for the purpose that we may be able to ward off the blows of these same mad men we are asked to send food to.

It is doubtful whether much of the food we gave would reach the ones it was intended for as the German army eats first, the German people next, and others get what is left. Supposing it all did go to feed the refugees, we would only be supporting Hitler in his drive against the British Isles and thereby add millions more to the list.

By sending food to any countries overrun by the Nazis, whether the German army or the German people receive any of it or not, we are relieving the German nation of the necessity of sharing what food there is in those countries and in this way we are doing more to help Hitler continue merrily on his way than if we were to ship him guns and ammunition. As long as the German army is well fed and the people behind the lines have enough to keep them on their feet

there isn't much chance of an uprising against Hitlerism, but let them get to the point of starvation and they will accomplish in their desperation what great armies have failed to do—its destruction. Instead of our being soft-hearted enough to even think about sending food to the European continent we should make every effort to prevent its reaching there. After the war is over we will be asked to rehabilitate these people and when that time comes we will not be found wanting. In the meantime, let us not be foolish enough to help add to those millions, including the possibility of ourselves being placed in the same position.

BUY FROM THE MERCHANT WHO ADVERTISES

"Mister, will you tell me of a good store at which to do my shopping?"

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Changing times have brought new conditions under which merchandising is done. Country towns have disappeared, they are suburban communities now. The old general store where you obtained everything from bolts for the mowing machine to calico goods and paregoric for the baby is "gone with the wind." The old-time merchant who knew the first name of every member of your family, and was always ready with, "Sure, John, I'll carry you until the crops are in," has been replaced by new, modern methods, where you are just another customer in the day's business, and the sign reads, "No Credit." You too, Mr. Farmer, have changed, you are a business man, just as much so as the banker, lawyer, doctor or merchant. You have access to good highways and you have an automobile in which you and your family will travel 200 miles, if necessary to do their shopping. You no longer think in terms of one merchant, you are only interested in knowing where you can get the merchandise you want at the right price.

Under the old order local merchants had no competition except each other and the trade was fairly well divided among them, generations of families hitched their horses to the same post their fathers before them had. Advertising; other than marking on the window, was not considered necessary. There was nowhere else the customer could go except at great expense and days of travel. Today, the farthest distance from any point to great shopping centers is the time it takes you to read the advertisements in your newspaper and pick up your telephone, or a 3-cent stamp delivering your order within a few hours. Advertising has not only opened up the world's markets to you but you have discovered that the merchant who advertises is giving you a written guarantee on his merchandise—it is there before you in black and white. Business in Ashland, Huntington, New York or Chicago is not conducted differently than it is in your local community, except on a larger scale. You will find that merchants in the larger cities who advertise obtain the biggest volume of trade and they are able to operate on a smaller margin of profit due to the larger volume and their customers benefit by buying better merchandise at less cost. The same thing applies to your local merchant, he is able to offer you the same merchandise with the same speedy service. You owe an obligation to yourself to trade in your own community for the very simple reason that much of your money will come back to you, but this obligation on your part should be met by the local merchants in your community being willing to back up the merchandise they are selling you with the kind of a written guarantee you have come to depend upon—newspaper advertising. The merchant who does not do this does not deserve your trade and you would be justified in passing him up. You are helping yourself and your community when you confine your trade to the local merchants who advertise, because you can be sure the great volume they receive permits them to pass on to you better merchandise at less cost. When you visit their stores let them know what advertising has done for you and them.

May To Risk His Pay To Take Army Course

State Agriculture Commissioner William H. May, formerly of Prestonsburg, declared late Monday at Frankfort he was going to take military instruction although the Attorney General's office had advised him that under Kentucky statutes he might be accused of neglect of his official duties.

Jesse K. Lewis, an assistant Attorney General, informed May the statute was "careless and ambiguously drawn," but that it might cause May to lose his salary for the time he was away as well as have to pay the Government approximately \$50 for the month's training.

"Shucks," said May, "if I went to the mountains and loafed for a few weeks, probably nobody'd say anything, and so I'm going to take this training."

May, 32, and knowing something of drill from a course at Randolph-Macon Academy in Virginia, said he had been accepted for the "business men's" training at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., August 2 to 31.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. S. A. Combs, who underwent an appendectomy at the Pikeville Methodist hospital Monday morning, is getting along nicely and will be returned home here early next week.

UNITED STATES TOO PESSIMISTIC

By ROGER W. BABSON

Who Says—"Those Who Have The Jitters Should Visit Canada."

Sherbrooks, Quebec—In view of the pessimism in the United States over the war, I came to Canada to find out how the Canadians feel. To my great joy, I find a far better feeling exists here than in the United States. Hence, my visit to Canada is very encouraging. Canadians absolutely spurn the story that the Queen of England and her children are now in Canada, or are even contemplating coming over here. They have complete faith in the British Empire's ability to beat off Hitler. Any reader who is discouraged about the war should go to Canada this summer for a vacation and get a new slant!

U. S. vs. Canadian Opinion

The people of the United States are divided into two groups. About 20 per cent really understand the seriousness of present world events; but 80 per cent still look upon these tragic affairs as they would a football game. In Canada, however, it is just the other way around. Almost anyone you meet can talk intelligently of the European situation. They fully understand the momentous changes taking place a-broad and the revolutionary results which they may bring about. This means that the Canadians are far better posted and have superior judgment concerning the war.

It, therefore, is very heartening to know that they have no fear that Great Britain will crack. It makes one truly cheerful to talk with these Canadian people and see their faith that things will come out all right. This faith, moreover, is no blind hope, founded on Polly-Anna talk, but rather, it is a definite conclusion, based upon statistical evidence. There is no censorship of opinion. The newspapers and people are free to criticize the Government and the conduct of the war. I happened to be in Canada the day the terrific increase in taxes was announced, yet I did not hear a whimper!

Government To Stay In London

When I suggested that it would be wise to move the British Government from London to Ottawa, the answer came back, "Never! Never!" Canadians pointed out that for a thousand years London has been the center of the British Empire, that as long as London stands, the British Empire will hold together; but conversely, that to hold the British Empire together, the seat of government must remain in London or nearby. I could not find out to what extent the collapse of France will cut down the number of men that Canada will send across. Of course, England will want all the pilots that Canada can send.

Great Britain is now in the midst of revising all her war plans. Her immediate task is to turn the Island into

a great "underground" impregnable fortress; to make it impossible for Germany to land troops, by sea or by air and to protect the fortress from bombs, poison-gas, and other brutal attacks. Hence, although the British are very bitter at France, yet there are certain compensations. It is now unnecessary for Britain to send any more materials to the Continent. Moreover, after she lost her seaports to the Nazis, France would have become a liability to Great Britain had she remained a combatant and had the question of her navy not been settled.

What U. S. Should Do

As for our part, we must not let Great Britain surrender her interest in Canada or any Western Hemisphere possessions. The only sure way to prevent this is for the United States to protect the British Navy and British Merchant Marine from the Germans and Italians. These are the real prizes which the dictators want; the final success of Hitler's campaign depends upon securing them. Only with the British Navy and Merchant Marine could Hitler threaten us.

Many believe that we could aid Great Britain most by helping in the evacuation of the British aged and children to Canada and the United States. This especially applies to those living in cities. The people of the United States, to "save their own skins," should immediately amend our immigration laws and join Canada in helping such an evacuation. We must, of course, now strip for defense; but with food, munitions, airplanes, we must also supply Great Britain and everything possible. Yes, on credit!

Evacuate Aged and Children

The real answer to our future, however, may be the extent to which we help move the aged and children of the Island to the United States and Canada. How many of the Island's population would want to come over here, no one knows; perhaps 10,000,000. If so, this would mean that of the 25,000,000 homes in Canada and the United States, only 5,000,000 would be obliged to take one person, and only 2,500,000 would be obligated to take two persons. It is said (but not officially) that there are this number—namely 7,500,000—of homes in the United States which now have no children.

Our navy and merchant marine should immediately help in moving these people. Rescue work of this kind need not be an act of war. Certainly, we would not be declaring war on Germany or Italy by doing so. We would only be rendering humane service. To my mind, we are ignorant cowards if we fail to do it. Both right and expediency demand such action by us immediately.

Funeral Services For Slatfall Victim Held Friday

Funeral services for John Alva Hall, 35, Fed, who died at the Martin General Hospital, Martin, Wednesday of last week several hours after he was crushed beneath a fall of slate in the Payne Baber Coal Company mine at Fed, were conducted from the Little Fork cemetery on Robinson Creek, Pike County, with the Rev. Frank Hopkins officiating.

The son of Joe and Mrs. Rebecca Hall, the victim was a native of Pike County, and had resided at Fed, for only a short time.

Surviving are three daughters, Nella Mae, Hester Marie and Mary Lou Hall, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Lula Johnson, Melvin; Mrs. Thelma Wright, Fed; Mrs. Hazel Adkins, Wales; Frank and Hassell Hall, Virgie; Delbert and Lucy Hall, Wales, and Herbert Hall, New York.

Prestonsburg Girl To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter, Geraldine, to Mr. James Davis Tolbert, of Paris, Ky. Miss Allen was graduated from Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College at Richmond, and for the past two years has been teaching in Prestonsburg high school.

Mr. Tolbert also attended Eastern at Richmond, and was graduated from the University of Kentucky. He was a member of Kappa Alpha social fraternity and Alpha Zeta honorary agriculture fraternity. He is now assistant county agent of Bourbon county.

The wedding will take place in September.

NOTICE FOR SIDEWALKS

Any property owners desiring the construction of sidewalks around their property, please make application for same to committee. The approximate cost of 5-foot paving is \$1.00 per lineal foot. The property owner is expected to pay one-fourth of this cost due to change in WPA rules. Contact committee at once, if interested in securing paving.

W. M. HAGANS,
 JOE TAYLOR HYDEN,
 N. M. WHITE, JR.,
 Committee.

In Wolfe county, 800 tons of superphosphate—an all-time high—is on order.

Packhorse Library Has 7,500 Books Available

Approximately 7,500 volumes are now available to Floyd county readers at headquarters here of the Pack Horse library. It was announced Monday. The total number of books now being housed in a frame building on First avenue was brought to this figure by the receipt, a few days ago, of 1,280 books, the gift of an Ohio public library. The only crest entailed in the acquisition of this reading matter was freight on the books, and this was paid by the Floyd County Board of Education.

Though present quarters are not adequate to proper display of all the books available, approximately 600 persons have registered as patron-readers of the library, and the number of Floyd countians dependent in large measure upon the Pack Horse library for reading material is increasing daily, it is stated.

In addition to the books ready for reading, many other volumes, old and damaged, are being re-bound and thus placed within the reach of those who enjoy fiction, reference works, biography and the like. Visitors at the Pack Horse library have been impressed, in particular, by this phase of WPA work which includes binding of "book-length novels" from popular magazines into volumes easily handled and of lasting value.

Funeral Rites Held For Truck Victim

Funeral rites for five-year-old Edward Newsome, who was killed July 17 at Melvin when struck by a truck, were conducted Saturday from the home of the little victim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Newsome.

Dick Layne, of the State Highway Police, who investigated the tragedy, said the truck was driven by Gordon Newsome. As the machine passed the child, standing at the roadside, the bed struck the tot's head.

The driver was not brought to Prestonsburg for arraignment.

The Grayson County Sportsmen's Club is modifying the 4-H conservation plan to suit local conditions.

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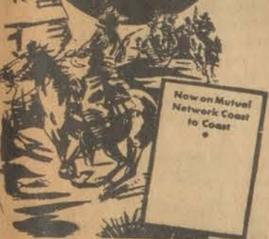
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Work Opportunities Held Brighter By Service

R. F. Fields, manager of the Kentucky State Employment Service, Pikeville, announces that there are possible openings for employment in the National Defense Program, within the near future, for a considerable number of skilled and semi-skilled workers who are qualified by experience and training in a great number of occupations in the following manufacturing industries:

Steel (structural and sheet), automotive, rubber, chemicals, dye stuffs, textile and leather goods.

Fields points out that this call for workers is only anticipated at this time and suggests that all persons who have skilled or semi-skilled experience in these occupations should contact the Kentucky State Employment Service, Pikeville, BY MAIL ONLY, giving a statement of experience and training which they believe fits them for employment in the fields of work described. The Employment Service will call in for an interview those persons who appear to meet requirements, so that when an actual call for workers is made, immediate selection and referral can be completed.

Fields further stated that he did not expect a call at present for workers who have had only common labor experience in industry.

This call also includes all types of skilled craftsmen in the building trade, particularly journeyman plumbers, pipe-fitters, brick layers, form builders, reinforcing steel setters, batching plant operators, 5-bag concrete mixer operators, electrical wiremen (all types), roofers, sheet metal workers, copper and tinsmiths.

Union county homemakers are attempting to adhere to a canning budget sufficient for family needs.

R. M. HALL AND BALDRIDGE'S BARBER SHOP

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TIMES' WRITER HAS GOOD LUCK

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highway and meanders down and up, right turns and left turns, for three miles through fields of red top clover and tall corn to a point on a high cliff overlooking the camp. A car can be driven down a winding, steep hill to come to a halt at the doorsteps of the little cluster of buildings, but if you do you will have missed the exhilarating back-to-nature that comes over you as you descend, step by step (173 of them) the wide stone stairway; you will have missed a sense of slowly descending into Fairyland as you pass over the threshold, to be welcomed by a panorama spread out before you on the floor of a gorge, 100 feet below from where first you looked down. From a distance the music of frolicking, crystal-like water as it tours the width of its bed, back and forth, and then on and on over its private thoroughfare, bids you rest—you are free; the soft boughs of a wilderness of evergreens, a variety of 29 different kinds, reach down and gently brush your cheeks as you reluctantly turn from the first building—to the left of the foot of the stairway, a basement and story and a half of stone, and moulded beautifully into the landscape as a home for the caretaker of the grounds. (Your eyes see but you refuse to believe as your pilgrimage carries you on; no it isn't possible this amphitheatre of stone upon stone, 100 feet wide and 11 rows up, but there it is, backed by a 100-foot-high cliff that curves around and over just enough to give a natural acoustic for sound to travel the one-quarter mile in length and 1000 feet width of the camp. Just in front of and 200 feet below the amphitheatre you will pause for a drink of cool mountain water, from an ever-flowing well, 175 feet deep, and as you search for a pumping plant and find none you realize it is artesian. Across the way and to each side of the bowl are long frame barracks, 100 feet by 40 feet, one to house the girls and one the boys, and in between is a part of the present playground, and open shop where the boys may be busy at something mechanical while the girls face them from the long rows of the amphitheatre, their nimble fingers busy in the arts of handicraft. Today, for the boys, it is building large tables; for the girls, the finishing of picture frames. Tomorrow, it will be something new. Farther on you come to the kitchens with their open ovens of brick and stone and as the cooks busily prepare the next meal, with the appetizing aroma wafted to you, you wonder whether our stone-age forefathers were not wiser than we. Just opposite the kitchens stands the store-room, with a store manager ready to supply every need in well-refrigerated foods. You drop back a little ways towards the center of the camp to the manager's cabin, built of large poles, cemented in between and with a stone floor, you envy Mr. J. M. Feltner his job, although as he escorts you through the grounds, carefully explaining what he is doing and hopes to do with the help of all his assistants you know you couldn't match his qualifications. The long years of service since 1910 when he helped to organize the first 4-H Club in Kentucky has given him a wealth of knowledge to fit him for his present duties.

There are so many local 4-H Club directors, County and Home Agents, instructors and camp workers, it is impossible to know or remember the names of all of them. I am sure the thing that interests them the most is that they are all working, with no thought of themselves and without a penny for their services, for one purpose only, to help guide these girls and boys in the right direction. Floyd county's own County Agent, S. L. (Sam) Isbell is here, never still a moment. First he stands in front of you directing a project, the next moment you miss him and away in the distance you see him keeping score in a game or joining in the play, always busy, excited, because he loves this work.

The program from Monday through Thursday covers a schedule starting at 8:00 with the rising whistle and closing at 9:00 with taps. Each day the 4-H members are carefully graded in their work and play, and on Thursday evening graduation exercises will be held for those who have completed four years in club work. Each year 21 girls and boys are selected as the outstanding members of Camp and they receive rewards as follows:

They are divided into four groups; group one, receiving highest marks, awarded blue buttons; group two, receiving second highest marks, awarded red button; group three, receiving third highest marks, awarded pink button. The six most outstanding girls and boys of the group of 21 are awarded silver medals. The other 15, in addition to the buttons, are awarded ribbons. All members graduating are awarded a certificate, proof of the confidence their leaders and instructors have that they will continue to adhere to the National 4-H Club Pledge:

"I pledge my head to clearer thinking, my heart to greater loyalty, my hands to larger service, and my health to better living, for my club, my community, and my country."

Floyd county's delegation at Camp Rhododendron includes: Maytown—Rachel May, Beryl Stewart, Joyce Stewart, Kathryn Stapleton, Lucille Stapleton, Rhoda Allen, Rhoda Allen, Margie Ann Ferguson, Elizabeth Boughton, Christine Horner, Bobby Allen, Arnold Ratliff.

Harold-Betsy Layne—Paul Gayheart, Linc Conn, Bernard Clark, Clyde Keathley, Richard Cecil, John Stumbo, Jr.

Johns Creek—Edgar Laferty, Edward DeLong, Arland DeLong, Colonel Cline, E. L. Cline, Jr., Vadis Cline, Arvin Setser.

The Floyd county 4-H club delegation was accompanied by Mrs. S. B. Begley, leader of the Maytown club, and County Agent Isbell.

Miss Allen, Hostess To Dinner

Miss Geraldine Allen entertained at a dinner party Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Atty. and Mrs. Edward L. Allen.

Attractive favors carried the announcement of the engagement of Miss Allen and Mr. J. D. Tolbert, of Paris, Ky. The wedding will take place in September at Miss Allen's home.

Guests enjoying this delightful affair were Misses Jane Case, of Richmond, Maurine Mayo, Vivian Hatcher, and Zena Dare Daniels, Mesdames D. C. Herndon, A. J. May, Jr., Olga M. Latta, H. L. Mayo, A. J. May, Sr., J. D. Mayo, H. D. Fitzpatrick, W. P. Mayo, J. S. Kelly, A. H. Spradlin, Edgar Stephens, Lyda Preston, G. A. Culbertson, Noah Hinton, W. H. Jones, Jr., Hiram Brock, Jr., Eddie Worland, Thomas Hereford, R. D. Francis, Emma Endicott, R. V. May, Chalmer Frazier, B. F. Stansifer, Mae Hatcher, and Edward L. Allen.

Bride-Shower Honors Mrs. Hinton

On Tuesday evening, July 9, Mrs. Henry C. Stephens and Mrs. Edgar P. Stephens were hostesses at a desert-bridge and personal shower, honoring Mrs. Noah Hinton. A delicious dessert course carrying out the color scheme of pink and green was served, following which the honoree acknowledged the lovely gifts. Those enjoying the party were:

Mesdames A. J. May, Jr., Newman Sharpe, Ben F. Stansifer, Robert D. Francis, F. C. Hall, G. A. Culbertson, Harry Ranier, Willie Mellon, Clayborne Stephens, Joe A. Spradlin, Adian Collins, Chalmer Frazier, Curtis Clark, Harry Sandige, Wade Hall, J. S. Kelly, Graham Porter, Hiram M. Brock, Jr., Eddie Worland, M. J. Leete, Emma Endicott, Olga Latta, Lyda Preston, Misses Vivian Hatcher, Zena Dare Daniels, Olive Stone, Ada Maggard, Carlos Hale.

Drift Reserves Stop Daniels' Creek

The Drift baseball club's second team defeated the Daniels' Creek nine there, 17-6, Sunday afternoon.

Drift hopped on the offerings of two Daniels' Creek pitchers for 17 hits, while Pack and F. Shelton were giving up eight. C. Shelton took hitting honors for the day, with four safeties in five trips to the plate. Turner and Harrington, also of Drift, each collected two-for-four. Woodman and Music each made two hits for the losers.

Three of the six Daniels' Creek runs were unearned.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spradlin of Cliff, on July 21 a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stephens, Cliff, on July 20, a 10-pound son.

REA LINE MAY ENTER

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as the Licking Valley Co-Operative Power Line.

According to data released following the meeting, the REA will require only four consumers per mile of line at a minimum cost per consumer of \$2 a mile, while a privately-operated company would require 10 consumers per mile at a minimum charge of \$2.72. If 13 consumers per mile are procured, this statement says, the privately-owned company minimum charge per month would be \$2.11.

The REA line would be built on a set-up providing for payment of its initial cost in 25 years, but will not be built for a distance of less than 75 miles. A private company will expect payment for its line within five years, but to build a line for a distance as short as one mile, it was said.

As memberships are procured in the REA cooperative, a fee of \$5 will be collected to take care of meter charges and promotional work but this amount will be refunded, it was said, if the plan is not consummated.

MRS. SMITH PASSES

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to this section, where he was employed as a mine foreman. She was a member of the Rebekah lodge.

Surviving besides her husband are one son, Todd Smith, Dakota, W. Va.; two daughters, Mrs. Ida Elizabeth Legg, Quinwood, W. Va., and Mrs. Sadie Goble, Matewan, W. Va., 16 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Methodist Church here, with the pastor, the Rev. W. B. Garriott, in charge. Burial was made in the Richmond cemetery, under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

Kenton county farmers marketed 11,640 pounds of wool thru the state cooperative association.

Prestonsburg Visitors Honored at Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, Prestonsburg, were joint hosts at an informal party at the Paintsville Country Club on Thursday evening, July 18. The party was given in honor of Miss Mary Jane Frye, of Detroit, Mich., Miss Harriette Erpenbeck, of Miami, Fla., Mrs. G. L. Howard, of Miami, Fla., Mrs. William West, of Canajoharie, N. Y.; Mrs. J. F. Ribble, of Rutherford, N. J.; Mrs. John R. Clarke, of St. Albans, W. Va.; Mrs. Blaine Smith and Mrs. Cora McHone, of Wheelwright.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mandt, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Brashear, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Huttsinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rimmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spurlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harlowe, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sowards, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ribble, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. T. J. May, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sandige, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marcum, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harkins, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bert Combs, Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dameron, Mr. and Mrs. W. Claude Caudill.

Mesdames G. L. Howard, W. S.

Harkins, Jr., William West, C. Y. Ligon, E. P. Arnold, Blaine Smith, Cora McHone, Josie D. Harkins, W. H. Jones, L. S. Moles.

Misses Mary Jane Frye, Harriette Erpenbeck, Patty Rimmer, Frances Jones, Gertrude Baughard, Zena Dare Daniels, Barbara Butler, Sarah Clay Stephens, Ella Noel White, Mary Elizabeth Powers, Betty Jean May, Eloise Williams.

Messrs. Walter D. Howard, Miami, Fla., Walter S. Harkins, N. M. White, Jr., Iley B. Browning, Ashland, Ky., Leroy Combs, Byron Nunnery, William Arnold Spradlin, Monte Scott Harkins, Bill Dudley McHone, Dr. O. T.

Stephens, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Bill Biggers, Eldon Howard, White Oak, Ky., Philip Bee, David May, W. P. Mayo, Jr., George Evans, Wayland, Ky., Jack Jones.

A buffet supper was served at midnight.

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John B. Stetson Hats, renovated	\$1.49	Two 10c Baking Powders, Dairy Maid	11c
Work Shoes	\$1.45 and up	Pure Apple Cider Vinegar—gallon	12c
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about ways to pass time pleasantly and calmly.

But the rocking chair that my author friend referred to is not exactly any of these. She referred to rocking for its own sake, just as the whittlers at the country store whittle for no other reason than to whittle. Back and forth sways the rocker as the woman, preferably an elderly one looks out upon life and finds it still sweet and good. Troubles have come and then gone, little toddlers have grown up and gone forth to conquer or to be conquered, some of her loved ones have long slept in the family graveyard; but the whole universe as seen from the front porch is still God's world, a little mysterious and puzzling, but still a rather good place to live. The oldest woman that Fidelity ever knew loved to rock on the front porch, and when I last saw her, in her nineties, she was rocking away, not yet conquered by her long, active, many-sided life.

WELL IN KNOTT IS COMPLETED

906,000-FT. PRODUCER IS DRILLED ON JONES FORK

Although no gas well completions in Floyd county were reported last week, several operations were under way, and one completion was reported in Knott county.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company reports the completion of well No. 592, on the John Wicker land on Jones Fork of Right Beaver Creek in Knott county at a total depth of 2787 feet. The well is producing 906,000 feet of gas in shale under R.P. 365 for 48 hours.

In Floyd county the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is down 2197 feet in Lime in well No. 593, Mary and J. B. Adams, and is laying fuel line to well No. 594, Robert Mitchell, on Mitchell Branch of Mud Creek.

The same company has reached a total depth of 2850 feet and is cleaning out well No. 595, Floyd Hall, and also is cleaning out well No. 4388, J. R. Triplett, et al, at a depth of 2134 feet.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is drilling at the 2480 foot mark in shale in well No. 5268, John F. Burchett, and is idle at well No. 5271, William C. Elliott, on Pike Fork of Toler Creek.

In Knott county the Inland Gas Corporation has reached the 1723 mark in Maxon in well No. 214, Lindsay Amburgey, on Mill Creek of the Left Fork of Troublesome Creek and is down 1981 feet in Maxon in well No. 213, W. R. Smith, et al, on the Right Fork of Troublesome Creek.

The Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company is spudding at the 15 foot mark in well No. 596, Ira G. Sparkman, on King Creek and is building road to well No. 5272, Benjamin Smith on Four Mile Branch of Jones Fork. The same concern is down 60 feet in slate in well No. 597, Lindsay Martin.

Warfield Gas Company is waiting on gas engine at well No. 4881, M. S. Crain tract, on Edwards Branch, and is rigging up at well No. 4882, R. M. Amburgey on Hollybush Creek.

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US. 60—Louisville-Ft. Knox road. Construction; detour, dusty in dry weather.

US. 41 — Construction between Greenville and Central City road. Detour provided.

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W. R. Riffe, Lawrence county, turned under "one of the finest crimson clover crops ever seen," reports County Agent C. B. Day.

Twenty Robertson county carpenters attended a meeting to see farm building plans from the Kentucky College of Agriculture.

Jefferson county 4-H'ers are getting 15 baby beeves ready for show and sale at the fall fat cattle show in Louisville.

TIDBITS OF KENTUCKY FOLKLORE

Rocking on the Front Porch

A few days ago a famous Kentucky author, now a resident of Texas, said that she was going back to Texas, buy a rocking-chair, and rock on her front porch, just as women do in Kentucky. She said that she felt the need of the philosophy that such an occupation would give her; too long she has been too much concerned with hard work and getting things done. She added that she could sit and rock and fan and even sweat and keep pretty, instead of hurrying around and burning up and getting older. Her artless remark to me set a thousand currents running across my memory, of sweet-faced women sitting and rocking, keeping calm and pretty.

A rocking-chair, anyway, is a sign of luxury. I can recall when many a home did not have a single one, or probably one equipped with homemade rockers. To sit in a rocking-chair implied that one had, temporarily, at least, licked the cares of the day and was enjoying some earned leisure. Some homes did not have a rocking-chair that could be desecrated by removing it to the front porch; it was for special company, such as distinguished city people or the preacher or his wife. How envious we were of the home, some of them rather humble ones, that had a rocking-chair that could be moved to the front porch or out into the yard and enjoyed by the family!

The front porch was and is consecrated to several good uses, among them being the shelling of peas and the stringing of beans. Such vegetables are worked best when they are brought out from the kitchen in an apron. Little toddlers should be allowed to help in this useful work, so that strings and shells can get into the wrong batch and be served to surprised and pleased fathers. When the little fellows are larger they can really help and thus learn that food just does not prepare itself. Potatoes can be peeled on the front porch, but this labor is usually kept for the kitchen or the back porch. It would not do to violate the proprieties, for rocking on the front porch is a sacred rite.

When the dinner is cooked and served and the dishes washed, again the front porch can be used. Sewing is an afternoon job, mending or piecing quilts or doing fancy work of some kind. By being in a rocking-chair, one can be more deliberate and can probably weave a little more philosophy into the tasks. If a neighbor calls, and if there are two rockers, then both women can rock and sew and talk, ad infinitum. Probably much of the poise necessary to keep a home running smoothly can be acquired in this leisurely method of taking one's time but working steadily. Men do not know enough

TRAVEL BULLETIN TODAY'S ROADS

AAA

Prepared By **Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club**

AAA IN OTHER WORLD WARS...

With a war raging overseas and with this nation launching a huge preparedness program, it was natural to wonder what impact the conflict had on the American Automobile Association two decades ago. Accordingly, a 22-year-old Motorist was pulled from the files, dusted off and consulted to find whether the organization had taken much cognizance of the war or whether it had pursued the even tenor of its ways.

The answer is that the organization was very much affected by the war. The annual meeting in 1918 was held in Atlantic City; it had been planned to hold it in Washington but the nation's capital was so over-crowded with war workers that a change of place as necessary. Only 20 states were represented by councillors at the meeting, the attendance being small because of the war.

One of the things worrying the AAA in those days is exactly what is worrying it today—the possibility of a major shortage of automobile mechanics, because of being drawn from their normal activities to war work. To meet this condition in 1918, the AAA adopted a resolution calling on all car owners to do their own driving and to so equip their cars as to reduce emergency needs to a minimum, and clubs were urged to aid in establishment of schools for training automobile mechanics.

A feature of the meeting was a life membership voted to "Eddie" Rickenbacker, who had been recommended as chauffeur to General Pershing by Chairman Kennerdell, of the contest board, and who later was transferred to the flying corps.

A resolution was adopted urging that war prisoners be put to work building roads so sorely needed at the time. In assuming the presidency of the AAA, David Jameson had this to say:

"Paramount over all thoughts with every man should be the desire and the intuition to do a man's part in the great national undertaking now going forward. Your association should and will do all it can to help carry on the war. It is an American association with the accident on all four syllables. This is not the time to ask what the nation can do for motorists. It is the time for motorists to think of something which they can do for the nation."

ARE YOUR BRAKES IN GOOD CONDITION?

KENTUCKY'S ROADS
US. 23—Short detour around overhead bridge, construction at east city limits of Greenville.

US. 227 — Detour on Paris-Winchester road. Additional distance approximately four miles.

US. 31-W—Construction for five

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-
ERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

In the matter of
ALLEN BARTLEY
Bankrupt
In Bankruptcy—No. 33
To the creditors of Allen Bartley, of Betsy Layne, Ky., County of Floyd, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.
Notice is hereby given that on the 16 day of July, 1940 the said Allen Bartley was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned Referee in Bankruptcy, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, in said district, on July 26, 1940 at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
Given under my hand at Prestons-

burg, Kentucky, this the 16 day of July, 1940.

JOE HOBSON,
Referee in Bankruptcy
All claims must be supported by affidavit and in the official printed form required by the Bankrupt Act.

STATE WORKER LAUDS WILLS, MAY

To at least two Floyd countians engaged in the handling of Floyd county's fiscal affairs Earl Richey, assistant State Inspector and Examiner, wrote last week, praising them for the services they render. Wrote Mr. Richey, after examining officials' records here—

To Magistrate W. A. Wills: "Frankly, I think you have done exceptionally well in fulfilling the duties of your office."

To County Treasurer W. J. May: "I think Floyd County is indeed fortunate in having such a competent and efficient County Treasurer."

SHIKE'S POKES

(Views expressed in this column are those of the writer and not necessarily those of The Times.)

Senator Burke by supporting Willkie is right in the party he has been supporting for the past six years—he was against anything that was progressive. Just look at his Senatorial record—and the Democrats of his home state showed their dislike by defeating Senator Burke by more than two to one.

I just don't see why the AFL and the CIO cannot make peace during this campaign. We all know that no labor organization can support the U. S. Chamber of Commerce candidate like "The Plague of Pharaoh" W. Willkie.

On the very day that Wendell Willkie was nominated in Philadelphia, his Company was violating the Wagner Labor Relations Law.

That all-star game at Allen Saturday just needed a few more Drift players. Not boasting, but didn't the two Drift players get three hits, score two and drive in another of the "B" league's four runs?

After watching Theo. Miller, the Big Sandy's slugging first baseman, in action, I believe he will have to go back to the Big Sandy League for more seasoning.

Conspicuous by their absence in the all-star game: Curnutte, Cecil Newcome of Melvin, McDowell and Smith of Drift.

On hand as a scout—we don't know who for: "Togo" Harris and Editor Allen.

A bunch of miners advised me that they saw a news-reel of the Republican convention in which at least 90 per cent of them were disinterested—and they were just wondering if the Martin Theatre "Where the Crows Go" will get the news-reel of the FDR convention, in which 90 per cent of them ARE interested.

Talking about "Long Counts," what about that one that Garner took at Chicago—946, and he is still out.

D.A.R. of Drift yelled "Long Count," too, when Willkie got the nomination.

Personal nomination for the best sport in the Beaver Valley League—Estill Clark, of Harold.

The longer Hitler puts off his blitz—the stronger we're getting.

Somebody reported that "Chub" was in the all-star game—he didn't work Monday.

Lum says that Lloyd has taken a contract to repair the Martin jail.

The most popular song in America this year?—"Happy Days are Here Again!"

Fred Hickman seems to be pretty good on running down "Law Violators." He should be an officer.

Patrick Family Reunion Held At Warfield

The descendants of Samuel and Matilda Nicholas Patrick met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright at Warfield Sunday, July 14, for their first family reunion.

After lunch the Rev. Muncey, of Garrett, delivered an inspiring sermon, which was followed by an address by Jesse Patrick, of Kenova, W. Va., who gave a history of the Patrick family. The following members of the family were present:

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Patrick, Kenova, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. James W. Patrick, Garrett; Mr. and Mrs. James Preston, Kermit, W. Va.; Mrs. Ida Shortridge, Sciotoville, O.; Mrs. Leota Patrick, Kermit, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Patrick, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitman, Beauty; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright, Warfield; 54 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Among the many friends who attended were three of Martin county's oldest citizens, "Aunt" Nan Pinson, 97, "Aunt" Ann Preston, 87, and "Aunt" Polly Damron, 87. The Pinson choir sang for the occasion. The reunion will be held again next year.

FROM BERE A
Miss Mauda Howard, a student at Berea College, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Howard.

HERE FROM FRANKFORT
Noah S. Hinton, Frankfort, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Hinton.

FLOYD COUNTY PEOPLE ARE FOR EUGENE E. SILER BECAUSE—

He is a young, qualified mountain man who has never held public office. He has never received one dollar of the taxpayers' money, although it is universally conceded that he is well qualified to hold any public office to which he might aspire.

Siler, when he was only 18 years old, served as a volunteer in the United States Navy during the World War, and is a Past Commander and Adjutant of the American Legion.

Mr. Siler is a Past Councilor of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics in Kentucky, and has spent several years in helping to build up that great order.

He has been a Sunday School Teacher in the First Baptist Church of Williamsburg for more than five years. He served three years as Chairman of the Red Cross Chapter in Williamsburg and was quite active in helping care for the flood sufferers who were sent there during the Louisville flood. He has spent a great deal of his time helping the people of his community, instead of asking the people to help him.

If his opponent, Fiem D. Sampson, who has just been elected Circuit Judge for a six-year term, should win this race, the office deserted by him would have to be filled by Democratic appointment. Republicans here do not believe the Party can be built up in that way.

Mr. Siler believes in our churches, homes, schools and children. He has a wife and four children, and believes that the American home, as an institution, should have every safeguard possible at the hands of our public officials.

People here feel that it would be unwise to let all public offices remain in the hands of old-time, professional politicians, when we can have the services of fine, intelligent and high-minded young men like Eugene Siler. Our young men should have the recognition of all who believe that ability, right-living and clear-thinking should be rewarded.

Floyd County people sincerely feel that this young man should be given his chance.



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HUNTER

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Salisbury and James Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Salisbury went to Louisville recently to get Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Salisbury's small son, Randolph, who has been in the Kosair hospital for almost nine months, taking treatment for the condition he was left in by infantile paralysis. He can walk now. After leaving Louisville, they went to Fort Knox.

Cecil Salisbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Salisbury, enlisted in the U. S. Army, and is stationed in California.

Randolph Hunt and Genevieve Salisbury were united in marriage, Saturday, July 20, at Pikeville, Ky.

School is progressing nicely at this place, with Miss Georgia Salisbury and Kendall Allen, teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bowen have as their guests this week Mrs. Bowen's parents, of Boons Camp, Ky.

Big Sandy Baseball League

TEAM STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Wheelwright	14	2	.857
Wayland	12	4	.750
Allen	9	7	.563
Van Lear	9	7	.563
Prestonsburg	6	8	.429
Clear Creek	7	10	.412
Elkhorn City	3	12	.200
Pikeville	3	13	.188

SUNDAY'S RESULTS
Wheelwright 11-6, Elkhorn City 0-4
Allen 12-17, Pikeville 0-2.
Wayland 6-5, Van Lear 11-2.
Prestonsburg 10, Clear Creek 9.

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE
(All games doubleheaders)
Elkhorn City at Wayland.
Prestonsburg at Allen.
Van Lear at Wheelwright.
Pikeville at Clear Creek.

WAYLAND

PIANO RECITAL
Piano students of Robert Wallace at Wayland, Glo, Estill and Garrett gave a delightful and well-received recital of piano music Sunday afternoon, July 21, in the Wayland Methodist Church.

Music-lovers who braved the sweltering heat to come and hear the excellently-played program expressed themselves as feeling pleased they had not missed it.

William Ford donated use of his piano for the occasion. Students who played in Mr. Wallace's recital are: Hope Francis Betty Ann Mackay, Bertha Jane Hess, Peggy Jo Pigman, Sally Kazez, Barbara Ford, Homer Clyde Kazez, Helen Stratton, Eleanor Fair Castle, Norma Leslie, Betty Roche, Sue Hornsby, and Joy Rasnick.

McDowell Child Is Victim

Funeral services for Lona Howell, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Howell, McDowell, and who died at her home Saturday after being ill for some time, were conducted from the home Sunday.

Besides her parents, she is survived by several brothers and sisters.

Burial was made in the family cemetery Sunday afternoon, with the Ryan Funeral Home in charge.

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5--10-SILVER DOLLAR PRIZES

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Ticket good on following dates: AUGUST 11th, 18th and 25th.

The following members of the P.C.B.A. are giving tickets on each 50c purchase. These members are making possible these popular drawings and should be patronized as they are sacrificing part of their profits to help make Prestonsburg the **Best Town in Eastern Kentucky in which to trade and live.** The more you trade with these firms the more often and better the drawings. Ask for tickets from the following P.C.B.A. members:

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ABIGAIL THEATRE

PRESTONSBURG, KY.

THURSDAY-FRIDAY—
"We Who are Young"
 Lew Ayres, Lana Turner

SATURDAY—
"Carson City Kid"
 Roy Rogers, Bob Steele, Gabby Hayes.

SATURDAY, 3 and 10 P. M.—
"It's a Date"
 Deanna Durbin, Kay Francis.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—
"Farmer's Daughter"
 Martha Raye, Chas. Ruggles.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY—
"New Moon"
 Jeannette McDonald, Nelson Eddy.

PATTY THEATRE

(Next Door to Abigail)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Bulldog Drummond Secret Police"
"Gambling on High Seas"

SATURDAY—
"Empty Holsters"

SUNDAY-MONDAY—
"The Way of All Flesh"
 Gladys George, Akim Tamiroff.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY—
DOUBLE FEATURE—
"Never Say Die"
"You Can't Fool Your Wife"

Miss Jane Case, Richmond, is the guest this week of Miss Geraldine Allen.

ISBELL WARNS

(Continued from page one)

yards in neighboring counties or from livestock dealers.

If farmers of the county do buy hogs from stockyards or dealers, Mr. Isbell emphasized, the animals should not be penned with hogs already on the farm. Instead, he said, the hogs thus acquired should be placed under quarantine in separate quarters for a period of 21 days.

Further discussing problems of Floyd county hog raisers, the County Agent cited instances in which hogs have been poisoned by garbage containing spoiled beans, canned corn or pickled beans.

"Contrary to popular belief," Mr. Isbell added, "hogs can be poisoned by certain foods."

He said that his investigation of such cases had revealed that hogs have been poisoned by such canned or pickled foods where jars had been emptied for re-filling. Such spoiled foods produce ptomaine poisoning and often prussic acid poisoning. Unless there is sufficient grease in the garbage to neutralize the poison, he said, hogs fed such refuse become sick, paralyzed and almost lifeless until death.

ENTERS HOSPITAL

Alex M. Spradlin left last week for the Veterans' hospital at Hines, Ill., where he will receive treatment for a month.

IS ILL

Mrs. G. A. Culbertson is ill at her home here.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. Joe Sammons, Cliff, formerly of Prestonsburg, is very ill with heart dropsy.

RETURNS FROM ASHLAND

Miss Betty Jean May returned to her home this week after spending several days with relatives in Ashland.

FROM FRANKFORT

Billy Bixler and his sister, Marguerite, of Frankfort, are visiting their grandfather, Judge C. B. Wheeler.

VISITOR HERE

Mrs. C. S. Pumphrey, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. A. L. Hill and children for the summer.

IN LOUISVILLE

Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., is in Louisville, undergoing examination. She suffered serious injuries, a few months ago, in a fall while visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pieratt, of Mt. Sterling.

HERE FROM FLORIDA

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Fitzpatrick, of Miami, Fla., arrived a few days ago for a visit with relatives here and elsewhere in the county.

WANTED TO TRADE—Electric radio, washing machine and fan for gasoline-driven washer.
B. F. DARLINGTON, City.

FOR RENT—seven-room house in Porter Addition. See CURTIS ELKINS 7-25-tf Tel. 186 or 4105, City.

FOR RENT—six-room house, with bath; also two-room apartment. Centrally located. Phone 165, City. 1t

NOTICE
FOR RENT—for business only, one two-story building. See owner upstairs.
HATTIE HALL, Weebury, Ky. 7-4-tf

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment with garage.
MARY C. ROSE, Telephone 54. 6-13-tf

FEED STORE—Feeds of all kinds; flour and meal. Buy here, save 10 per cent. One mile north of Prestonsburg, on highway. Phone 86-J, for delivery. 7-11 4t BILL COOLEY.

WANTED—Route man. Good opening in Paintsville, Van Lear. Sell, deliver Rawleigh Products year around. Steady work, large profits. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. KYG-213-137, Freeport, Ill. 7-18-4t pd.

WANTED—Sewing to do by experienced, trained seamstress. Prices reasonable. See Mrs. Joe Allen, Martin, Ky. 7-18-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—5-room residence, with bath, breakfast nook, full-size basement. Built one year ago of brick and tile. Hot air furnace, located on Short street, 1 1/2 blocks from courthouse. Will sell at sacrifice. See J. L. MEADE City. 7-25 tf

MARTIN THEATRE

"WHERE THE CROWDS GO"

SUNDAY—IN PERSON DIRECT FROM HOLLYWOOD
SONS OF THE PIONEERS

"MAN WHO TALKED TOO MUCH"
with George Brent, Virginia Bruce

MONDAY—
"FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE"
with Roger Pryor, Lucille Fairbanks 10 Cents

TUESDAY—
"WAGONS WESTWARD"
with Buck Jones, Chester Morris 10 Cents at 6:30 and 8:30

WEDNESDAY—
"ROAD TO SINGAPORE"
with Bing Crosby, Dorothy Lamour

THURSDAY—
"MANHATTAN HEART-BEAT"
with Virginia Gilmore, Robert Sterling

FRIDAY—
"THE CAPTAIN IS A LADY"
with Charles Coburn, Beulah Bondi

Coming Aug. 4th.
"REBECCA"

HERE FROM MICHIGAN
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dyer and daughter, of Allegan, Mich., were here last week, en route to Eastern where they had been called by the death of Mrs. Dyer's sister, Mrs. Oak Cooley.

GUEST OF RIFFES
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Riffe here early this week were Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Fox and daughter, Roberta Lou, of Smithfield, N. C., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Riffe, of Ashland.

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PROF. CLARKE'S FORMER STUDENTS TO MEET

Annual re-union of former students of Prof. George Clarke, veteran Eastern Kentucky educator, will be held at Hindman on Saturday, August 10, it's announced. The gathering will continue during the day and night session.

Men and women from all counties of this section are expected to gather at Hindman to spend the day with the veteran of 53 years in the school-room.

212 NAMED AT POLLS

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Hays, Edd Hall. Bosco No. 23 Joe Prater, Ben Gearheart, Wayne Hall, Will Boggs. Garrett No. 24

Jesse Caudill, T. J. Miller, Bob Campbell, Johnny Hicks. Wayland No. 25

Boone Hall, Tom Kane, Robert Hicks, J. M. Turner. Abbott No. 26

Milt Stanley, T. A. (Bud) Spradlin, Tommy Hall, H. R. Burke. Little Paint No. 27

Joe Dingus, Harry Hager, Tilden Howard, Ollie Jarvis. Rough & Tough No. 28

Jonathan Holbrook, Tom Adams, Austin Wright, Norman Holbrook. Cliff No. 29

Wiley Warrick, Ulah Branham, Alex Harmon, Frank Arnett. Dwale No. 30

Lou Laferty, Alex Hall, D. B. May, J. J. Thomas. Toler No. 31

Virgil Hamilton, G. W. Meade, Lack Salisbury, Joe P. Sturgill. Maytown No. 32

W. W. Cooley, Townsel Combs, Rich Hayes, Jones Moore. Lackey No. 33

W. M. Terry, W. T. Hatcher, Branch Robinson, Milford Conley. Ivel No. 34

Dick Burchett, Abe Rice, Ollie Caldwell, Lewis Stratton. Jack's Creek No. 35

Marion Martin, Frank Hatfield, Mrs. Marion Martin, Allen Triplett. Drift No. 36

Graden Allen, H. D. Martin, Roy Cook, Joe Beverly. Kennedy No. 37

Wallace Burchett, Dave Hale, Ballard Prater, Gus Blevins. Burton No. 38

Willie Johnson, Wm. H. Ferguson, Ike Thompson, Tom Bates. Ligon No. 39

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Bennie Sammons, Jess Lafferty, Sol Mayo, High Click. Kiser No. 43

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George Rodgers, Joe Martin, Green Hall, Jr., Robert Newsome. Estill No. 45

Ben Hall, Walter Hornsby, John Hall, Jeff Crisp. Northern No. 46

Dan Prater, S. C. Allen, Howard Allen, Billie Allen. Prater No. 47

Andy Boyd, Sam Rice, Willie Akers, High Conn. Rock Fork No. 48

Mell Petry, Bill Petry, Johnny Campbell, John Eskew. Lee Hall No. 49

B. C. Ferguson, V. T. Watson, Yale Rodgers, Lee Hall, Jr. Raymond No. 50

Fair Collins, Buck Layne, Delbert Webb, Jack Moore. Frasure Creek No. 51

Emmitt Hamilton, Jim Reynolds, H. F. Bentley, Millard Caudill. Hen Hall No. 52

Noah Johnson, Joe Burke, Cleve Holbrook, Jim Belcher. Jack Allen No. 53

Joe E. Reffitt, Graydon Howard, Dave Kilburn, Clyde Allen.

AT INDIAN LAKE
Mr. and Mrs. Burl Spurlock, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins are spending this week at Indian Lake, O.

HERE FROM WHEELWRIGHT
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Zimmerman, Wheelwright, spent the week-end here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Francis.

VISIT IN TENNESSEE
Mr. and Mrs. James Morell, Jr., spent last week in Tennessee, guests of Mrs. Morell's parents.

RETURNS HOME
Mrs. Sophia Brown returned Sunday from Ohio, where she was called recently by the serious illness of her sister.

SUBMITS TO OPERATION
Mrs. Alvin Taylor, who submitted to a major operation Thursday, last week, at the Beaver Valley hospital, Martin, is doing nicely.

ON VACATION
Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Collins and son, Pete, and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mellon are spending their vacation in Florida and Georgia.

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Creed Newsome.

Walter Edwards, jailed last Thursday, was released after testimony produced at the hearing failed to show that he participated in the battle.

Testifying for the Commonwealth, Noah Newsome, Jr., told of seeing Dillo fire at Creed Newsome and of seeing Newsome fall. The defense presented the claim that Dillo was unarmed and had no part in the shooting.

No evidence was produced in defense of Caleb and Alvis Newsome. The latter, though removed Saturday from the Martin General hospital to his home, was unable to appear at the hearing.

JEFF HARRIS, VICTIM

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here. He had resided in Prestonsburg for many years and was one of the community's best citizens.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Lou Butler Harris; one daughter, Mrs. Joe Harris, Lancer, and two brothers, W. R. Harris, Jackson, O., and G. W. (Pet) Harris, Glogora.

Following a brief service from the home here, the body was taken to the old Harris home at Lancer for funeral rites, conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday, the Revs. W. B. Garriott, Campbell Jeffries and Leonard Fleming, of the Methodist, Baptist and Pilgrim Holiness Churches, Prestonsburg, respectively, and the Rev. Isaac Stratton, of Banner, officiating.

Burial was made in the Harris cemetery under the direction of the Arnold Funeral Home.

VISIT RELATIVES

Herbert Dyer, Baltimore, Md., Burnice A. Prater and Miss Edna Prater, of Washington, D. C., spent last week in the county with relatives.

Forrest P. Bell, Hartford, was a visitor here last week-end.

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BECAUSE:

1. Hogg is and always has been an unqualified supporter of President Roosevelt and all he stands for. Mr. May has not been that, and in fact has fought the President on many vital Administration measures.

2. Hogg is a fighter for the rights of the common people; believes that the utility rates, including rates on electricity and gas, should be reduced to the people and will fight side by side with President Roosevelt to bring this about. Mr. May's votes in Congress show him the other way.

3. Mr. May is a close friend of Wendell Wilkie, the Republican nominee for President. They have had one political interest in common—unyielding opposition to every effort of our great President in breaking up the monstrous utility combines which would benefit the people of this country.

4. Hogg promises to wage a ceaseless fight to bring about a sharp reduction in the freight rates in the shipments of our coal to our biggest market place, the Great Lakes. The accomplishment of this would mean a great pick-up for our section. Admittedly, those freight rates are now discriminatory against us. He proposes to bring relief in a practical way. During Mr. May's ten years in Congress he has done nothing to correct this situation. Hogg will.

5. No man should be perpetuated in office. May is allowed \$6,500.00 per year for clerk hire with which to employ clerks in his office. Not satisfied with his own salary of \$10,000.00, he puts his immediate family upon the pay roll to use the \$6,500.00, as follows: Mrs. May, his wife, at a salary of \$2,700.00, and she does no work; his sister-in-law, Mrs. Herndon, at a salary of \$2,300.00! Mrs. Latta, his daughter, at a salary of \$1,560.00. Is this justice to his constituents? Do they approve of that? This practice is generally referred to as nepotism. But we call this "Familyism" to the last degree. It may also be added that at the time Mr. May became chairman of the Military Affairs Committee, instead of turning his eyes to his own district and giving some good man or woman the job of being clerk of the Committee, he turned his back upon his District and gave that job to a Mr. Anderson of South Carolina to draw the fine salary of \$3,300.00 per annum when there are thousands in this District well qualified for the job.

6. Hogg believes that the Labor Relations Act, that great Charter of Liberty for the working man, should stand and be enforced as it is. Mr. May feels otherwise about the Roosevelt Labor Act because in May, 1940, on the floor of Congress he said in discussing the Act:

"I am not averse to some amendments to the legislation (Labor Act) particularly with reference to its administration." (See U. M. Workers Journal dated May 15, 1940).

7. Hogg is qualified for this office and is thoroughly able to represent the people. He has no corporate ties and no man or set of men can influence him against the interests of the people. His record is an open book, having served the people of Letcher county as County Attorney and having served in President Roosevelt's administration as Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the United States.

8. A vote for Hogg is a vote for a man who can and will serve you faithfully and unselfishly. Rally to his cause and talk for, work for, and vote for him. The Democrats, not the politicians, are going to nominate him. He will be fighting until the polls are closed on August 3. Beware of false propaganda.

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